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Reports from Santiago—Transactions of service, March, 1906—Comparative yearly statement of inspections.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Wilson reports, April 5 and 6, as follows:

Bills of health issued	26
Number of the crews	1,017
Number of the passengers	510
Vessels quarantined	0
Vessels disinfected	0

The bills of health issued during the year 1905 were 245, an increase of 32 over the number issued in 1904, but still below the number for 1903. During this time the Cuban quarantine service issued 414 bills of health for all foreign ports, including the United States, an increase of 56 over the number issued in 1904. This also is less than the number issued in 1903.

GUATEMALA.

Report from Puerto Barrios—Inspection of vessels—Sanitary conditions.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Wailes reports as follows: Week ended April 3, 1906. Present officially estimated population, 3,500; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following-named vessels:

Date.	Vessel.	Destination.	Number of crew.	Number of passengers from this port.	Number of passengers in transit.	Pieces of baggage disinfected
Mar. 28	Ellis	New Orleans	38 35	19		
Apr. 3	Anselm Morre	New Orleans	43			

HAWAII.

Plague at Honolulu.

Chief Quarantine Officer Cofer reports from Honolulu as follows: There was a death from plague to-day. April 14, 1906. April 16, 1906. There was a death from plague yesterday.

HONDURAS.

Report from Puerto Cortez, fruit port.

Acting Assistant Surgeon Vance reports as follows: Week ended April 4, 1906. Present officially estimated population, 4,000; general sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, fair.